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- ☐ 1. The following observations were made in Weiningen (L 51/H 82) between 21 April and 2 May 1950. The Barbara Kaserne was still occupied by troops wearing black-bordered red epaulets. About 100 to 120 troops were engaged in field training in the training area near Defert hausen on 2 May 1950.

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Reconstruction work at the Drachenberg Kaserne which had been suspended in the winter had been resumed. At the Alte Kaserne, reconstruction work had not been resumed. The kommandatura building was vacated by the Soviets and reoccupied by the Energiebezirk Sued (Southern Power District).

- ☐ 2. ☐ the Barbara Kaserne seemed to be only lightly occupied between 2 and 5 May 1950. Only some windows of the northern buildings were lighted in the evening. About 70 soldiers with six light machine guns and six mortars were observed on 5 May 1950.

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[redacted] Comment. Weiningen troops were entrained  
for Ohrdruf on 19 April 1950. [redacted]  
The observations made in mid-April and early  
May 1950 indicate that elements of the Weiningen  
117th Gds Atz Rifle Regt of the 39th Gds Atz  
Rifle Div had remained at the post.

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